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using

SREBP pathway genes

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Drosophila melanogaster and Caenorhabditis elegans that have been genetically modified to express or mis-express proteins involved in the sterol regulatory element binding protein (SREBP) pathway are described. These genetically modified animal models have identifiable phenotypes

that

make them useful in assays for studying lipid metab., other genes implicated in lipid metab., and compds. capable of modulating lipid metab.

pathways. Methods for studying lipid metab. in living nematodes using fluorescently labeled fatty acid conjugates, such BODIPYTM fatty acid conjugates, are also described. Novel SREBP pathway nucleic acid and protein sequences are also described.

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